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Title: Introduction of the Non-Resident Indians (Voting Rights and Welfare) Bill, 2007.

MR. CHAIRMAN : Before I call the next Member to speak, I would call Shri C.K. Chandrappan to introduce his Bills, provided he apologises.

SHRI C.K. CHANDRAPPAN (TRICHUR): Sir, I am sorry that I could not be present when my name was called.

I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for voting rights and setting up of a National Commission for Non-Resident Indians for the purpose of providing assistance to them in the countries where they reside and work and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

MR. CHAIRMAN: The question is:

"That leave be granted to introduce a Bill to provide for voting rights and setting up of a National Commission for Non-Resident Indians for the purpose of providing assistance to them in the countries where they reside and work and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

The motion was adopted.

SHRI C.K. CHANDRAPPAN : I introduce the Bill.

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